## WEST BRATTLEBORO

Fortieth Anniversary Observed.

A party of 20 of the near neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Morse called on them Wednesday evening to called on them Wednesday evening to help them celebrate the 40th anniversary of their marriage. The guests were invited by Mrs. Morse, but their coming was an entire surprise to Mr. Morse. He wanted to invite a set of old friends to meet for a card party that evening in homor of the occasion, but Mrs. Morse objected to their coming that night and planned for a card party of four tables to meet with them last evening, which they did, and none of the guests who formed part of the surprise party of the formed part of the surprise party of the night before were invited. Both even-ings were spent very pleasantly and very enjoyable refreshments were served on both occasions. Mr. and Mrs. Morse were remembered with a sum of money. gifts of glass, confectionery and flowers, besides numerous cards and congratu-

James Stanford Morse and Annie E. Sargent were married at the old Revere House Dec. 18, 1872, Rev. Mr. Jenkins, House Dec. 18, 1872, Rev. Mr. Jenkins, pastor of the Unitarian church, officiating. They were unattended. A snow storm came that day and the weather was extremely cold. The window panes were covered thickly with frost. After the marriage they started on their wedding journey which took them to Boston, Cambridge and Fitchburg. On their return they began keeping house in this place and three years later bought the return they began keeping house in this place and three years later bought the place on Glen street, where they have lived since. Mr. Morse's parents were Henry and Eliza Nichols Morse. His mother is living at the advanced age of 96. Mrs. Morse's parents were Luther and Annie Stearns Sargent, former residents of this place, both of whom died several years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Morse are well known and respected citizens are well known and respected citizens and the good wishes of many friends follow them as they advance toward their golden wedding.

Gertrude Fisher is III.

E. D. Ranney visited in Bellows Falls

Miss Belle Heywood, who has been ill, A telephone has been installed at E. A. Covey's. Call, 282-X. Mrs. Walter Davis, who has been ill

with tonsilitis, is improving. C O. Kimball f West Townshend is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. R. Mann. Mrs. Mary Hescock is ill and her daugh-Mrs. E. M. Whitney, is caring for

Mrs. W. V. Howe of West Townshend is visiting her son, Harry Howe, and

Miss Delila Tudor is boarding with frs. Alice Richmond and attending

Mrs. C. J. Stockwell, who has been suffering with lumbago, is much im-

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Thomas were in Saxtons River on business the first of the week, returning Wednesday.

W. M. Fisher and L. R. Thomas have taken a log job of W. L. Walker. They will begin work on it next week. Miss Maudie Stone of Brooklyn is ex-pected to spend Christmas week with

her grandmother, Mrs. H. A. Stone. The quarantine was raised Monday from J. L. Stockwell's house and Hazen and Catherine are in school again.

Guy Thayer of New York city and Louis Thayer of Little Falls, N. Y., are expected home to spend the holidays. There will be a family reunion at H. G. smith's next week. All the children and

grandchildren are expected home for Miss Bertha Rider and Miss Bertha Freeman will spend the holidays in South Hadley Falls with Mrs. George

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Helyar of New Brunswick, N. J., are expected to spend the holidays in town visiting their par-ents, Mrs. H. S. Miller and Mrs. A. M.

A meeting will be held this, Friday, afternoon in the chapel of the Baptist church at 3.30 o'clock for the boys and girls. It wil H. Prindle. It will be in charge of Rev. N.

The Woman's association will hold its annual meeting in the chapel of the Congregational church Friday afternoon, Dec. 27, at 3 o'clock. An urgent invita-tion is extended to all women of the church and society.

The Twentieth Century club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Davenport. The attendance was good and the afternoon was spent socially with sewing. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. L. G. Tay-

F. Clark of Oscaloosa, Iowa, and Miss Susie Clark of Springfield, Mass, are expected to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Nims and children will remain at Dr. Clark's until after Christmas.

On account of the evangelistic meetings, which have occupied the time and attention of the Baptist church the past days, the Christmas entertainment in that church has been postponed to Thursday evening, Jan. 2, when a sup-per will be served in the chapel to the entire Sunday school, followed by appro-priate exercises and a tree.

## Killed by a Fall in a Quarry.

Earl H. Buttles, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Buttles of Bethel, was found dead Tuesday morning at the bottom or the 300-foot shaft of the New England Tale company's mine in Rochester. He spent the night in the mine in charge of a pump and in the morning signalled that he was ready to come up. When the hoisting bucket reached the top of the shaft it contained only a coat. A man who was lowered at once found Buttles's mangled body. It is supposed that he lost his balance and fell from

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#### WEST BRATTLEBORO

First Congregational Church.

First Congregational church, Rev. Henry Lamb, pastor. Sunday services: Divine worship at 10.30, with Christmas ad-dress. The following program of music dress. The fo Prelude, "Offertorie de Noei," Anthem, "There were shepherds,"

Offertory, "Nazareth," Gounod Anthem, "Behold I bring you good tid-Churchill Wachs

Postlude, "Hosanna," Wachs Bible school at 12. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6, subject, "What the coming of Christ has done and will do for the world," leader, Rev. Henry Lamb." There will be special music. Prayer meeting as usual Friday evening. Christmas will be observed by the Sunday school Tuesday evening in the church, when the "Christmas tree gar-den" will present a scene of much interest to the children

Mrs. Clara Morris Pino.

The news of the death of Miss Clara Morris Pino came as a shock to many of her former acquaintances here, by whom she is pleasantly remembered. Her death took place in her home at 84 Mel-rose street, Providence, R. I., Tuesday, Dec. 10, after a protracted illness, Clara B. Morris was the oldest child of Sidney L. and Mattle Jacobs Morris. She was born in West Brattleboro and lived here with her parents until her mar-riage to Willis S. Pino, who was then a resident of this town. She was a grad-uate of West Brattleboro academy and a member of the First Congregational church. She leaves her husband, father and one sister, Mrs. Ira H. Knight of New York city. A brother, Frank Morris, died many years ago while the fam-ily lived here. The funeral was held in her late home Thursday afternoon, Dec. 12, and the burial took place in Provi-

Henry Knapp is spending the week in South Newfane.

Melvin Dalrymple is working for the DeWitt Grocery Co. Rev. Henry Lamb was in Springfield Thursday on business.

Wilford French of Greenfield was a visitor at W. S. French's recently.

Miss Irene Mather, who has had numps, is suffering from a relapse.

Miss Alice Mather of Worcester is ex-pected home for the Christmas vacation. Mrs. Mary Clisbee is visiting her niece, Mrs. Emily Goodenough, for an indefinite

Robert LeRay, young child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry LeRay, has been very ill this Alton Copeland is home from the Syra-

use business college for the Christmas F. A. Betterley has bought the Cook place on Canal street. He will move there soon.

Miss Mary Hall of Wilmington is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Collins. Mrs. L. W. Shepardson of South Newfane came Tuesday to visit her niece,

Mrs. L. S. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Allbee expect to spend Christmas in Townshend with Mr. and Mrs. Park Holland. The Busy Bees met with Mrs. E. S.

Harrison last Thursday afternoon to dress dolls for Christmas gifts. Mrs. Mary A. Alken went to the Far-ren hospital in Montague Tuesday for the removal of a growth from her face. T. M. Doyle and John Vevier have begun cutting the timber on the F. L. Hunt place, for which they have the contract. Ellsworth Kemp expects to go to his nome in Colrain Monday. His brother will come from there to accompany him. Miss Frances Leighton, who teaches in district No. 10, will go tomorrow to her home in Attleboro, Mass., for a weeks'

Miss Florence Warriner is acting as matron for the girls in Northfield semi-nary who remain there during the Christmas holidays.

Miss May Chamberlin of Marquand hall, Northfield, is expected home to spend Christmas week with her mother, Mrs. N. S. Chamberlin.

Mrs. Almira Winchester went recently with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Winchester, to their home in Laconia, N. H., where she expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. J. W. Wood of Rochester, N. Y., recently visited her sister, Mrs. H. O. Halladay, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Norcross of Dummerston. She will return home this week. The Busy Bees met Wednesday after-

the home of Mrs. E. S. Harrison to continue work for Christmas. This newly formed society is very enthusias-tic and shows that their name is a fitting one. A card received from H. E. Shipman

was written from Seattle, Wash, while en route for Oakland, Calif., where he and his family will spend some time visiting before locating for the rest of the season. Baptist church, Rev. E. S. Harrison

pastor Sunday services: Divine worship at 10.30, with sermon by Rev. N. H. Prindle of Burlington, Baptist state evangelist: Bible school at 12. The evening meeting will be evangelistic and conducted by Mr. Prindle.

Mrs. Warren Hescock and Mr. and Mrs. George Hescock of Greenfield spent Sun-day at F. W. Gage's, visiting their rela-tive, Rinaldo Hescock, who sustained a shock of paralysis last week. Mr. Hes-sonk's condition sock's condition is much improved and hopes are entertained of his recovery. Evangelistic meetings have been held

very evening since last Thursday in the Baptist church, besides the afternoon meetings of Tuesday and Thursday. On Saturday evening a meeting will be held in the schoolbouse in district No. 7 at the usual hour. Mr. Prindle will close his labors here Sunday.

E. R. Thurber, who went from here about three years ago with his family to Kisby, Saskatchewan, has had a very to Kisby, Saskatchewan, has had a very prosperous year in his farming activities. He reports having raised 500 bushels of potatoes, 1000 bushels of wheat, 1000 bushels of flax and 1500 bushels of oats. They are pleased with their location, and as the country grows their privileges are increasing. The church, which they attend and the schools, which are good, are three miles from where they live. Mr. Thurber is the youngest son of Mrs. Anna Thurber of his place. His wife was Miss Maude Donelson and they have three sons, Law-Donelson and they have three sons, Law-rence, Clifford and George.

Patriarch of the Adirondacks Dead.

Paul Smith, 87, the patriarch of the Adirondacks, died Sunday in a hospital in Montreal following a surgical operation. He was a native of Milton, Vt., tion. He was a native of milton, vi., and for more than @ years had been iden-tified with the development of the great northern woods. Smith went into the northern woods. Smith went into the woods as a guide with no capital. In the early 50's he established a small lodge or hotel which eventually became a big establishment housing hundreds of people in the summer time. Smith owned over 30,000 acres in woodland and lake, and in addition to his hotel was the owner of a store, sawmill, electric plant and a large equipment for his various lines of business.

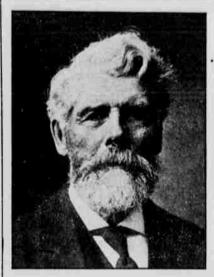
Fuller T. Smith of St. Albans has resigned the position of national bank examiner for Vermont and Western Massachusetts, which he has filled the

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Cotton Mather, 79, for many years a prominent resident of this village and a well-known stone mason, died in his home about 19.25 o'clock yesterday forenoon, after an illness of two weeks. He

home about 19.25 o'clock yesterday forenoon, after an illness of two weeks. He
contracted a cold, which was followed
by congestion of the lungs and a heart
trouble. A council of physicians was
held Sunday, and his two sons, Myron I.
Mather of Campello, Mass., and George
E. Mather of East Orange, N. J., came
the first of the week to assist in caring
for him. Funeral services will be held
in the home Sunday at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Mather was named after Cotton
Mather, who became a famous American Congregational clergyman, author
and scholar in Boston. He was a lineal
descendant of Rev. Richard Mather, Cotton Mather's grandfather, who came from
England to Boston in 1625, and died in
Dorchester in 1669. He was born in
Marlboro, this state, March 19, 1833, and
was one of 16 children of Timothy and
Harriet (Winslow) Mather. A brother,
Dwight M. Matehr of West Brattleboro, is
the only survivor of that family. These
two boys took the old farm in Marlboro
when Cotton Mather was about 20. Cotton Mather moved to what is now the two boys took the old farm in Marlboro when Cotton Mather was about 20. Cotton Mather moved to what is now the Brattleboro town farm in 1868. In 1886 he sold a part of it and built a house on the other part, on what is known as "the hill." where he lived until he built his late residence in 1892. He had largely



given up farming in recent years and de-voted his time to stone masonry. He was a deacon of the Congregational church in Mariboro from the time he was 23 years old until he moved to West Brattleboro, and he had been a deacon of the church here about 25 years. He was road surveyor under the old system, when the towns were divided into dis-tricts, and he did jury duty in the

county court at Newfane.

It was not an uncommon thing for Mr.

Mather to work from 4 in the morning to 9 at night for \$1.25 a day when he was farming in Marlboro. He was a sturdy youth and he retained a good physical constitution until recently. In six days, when he was filling a contract in Marlboro, he cut six cords of wood alone and hauled it 10 miles to West Brattleboro with a pair of horses. For a long time he was a member of the Western engine company of this village, and he helped his company win prizes in competition with hand tubs at Brattle-boro, Bennington, Montpelier, Burling-ton, Middlebury, Rutland, Orange, Mass... and other places. Formerly he was a Democrat, but he voted for Abraham Lincoln for president and voted the Re-

publican ticket ever since then.
On June 1, 1858, Mr. Mather married
Seraph P. Whitaker, a daughter of Whitney and Fanny (Smith) Whitaker of Westminster, who survives. The ceremony was performed by the late Rev Joseph Chandler of this village. When she was a child the family lived in Newfane and moved from there to Wilmins ton. When she was 17 she went to Marlboro to live and met Mr. Mather there. They observed their golden wedding anniversary in their home here June 1, 1998. During their long residence in this village they have taken a prom-inent part in the activities of the Con-

gregational church and have been hon-ored and respected by everybody.

Besides his wife Mr. Mather leaves five children, Miss Seraph Annette Ma-ther of West Brattleboro, Myron I. Ma-ther of Campello, Mass., Mrs. Harriet F. Newcomb of West Brattleboro, Helen A., wife of W. E. Chase of West Brattle-boro and George E. Mather of East Oringe, N. J.

ange, N. J.

He also leaves 11 grandchildren, Arthur L., Robert S., and Helen, children of Myron I. Mather; George D., Hazel G., Olive and Edward, children of Mr. Chage; Delia P., and Lotin M., children of Mrs. Newcomb; and Judson and Dean, children of George E. Mather. There are also two great-grandchildren, Alberta and Myron, children of Arthur L. Mather.

## NORTHFIELD, MASS.

W. R. Moody is expected to reach New York Saturday night, having been ibroad several weeks. Northfield seminary and Mount Hermon closed this week for two weeks, consequently there has been a general exodus of teachers and students.

At the mortgagee's sale of real estate and personal property of the late Mary A. Hicks, the entire property was bid off by Ebenezer S. Proctor, the mortgages. Services will be held in the Congregational church next Sunday night ap-propriate to Christmas. A service of song will be one of the features, rehearsals having been held during the

Work on the state road between Main street and the state line has been dis-continued until next spring. It is prac-tically completed from the New Hampthire line across the bridge at Wanna-

The public schools closed last Friday with the exception of the high school, which continued one week longer. Ex-ercises appropriate to Christmas were held in the different schools. In some of them a tree was decorated and San-ta Claus paid a visit. Most of the teach-ers will go to their respective homes. The contract has been made by the trustees of the A. M. D. Alexander fund for placing a stone tablet in the Grand Army memorial hall. The tablet will contain the names of 80 soldiers who served in the Civil war from Northfield. The Grant Granite company of Brattle-boro has the contract

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In the annual meeting of the H. H. Johnson Woman's Relief corps Friday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year; Mrs. Joelected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Jo-sephine Doolittle, president; Mrs. Wal-ter Walte, S. V. P.; Mrs. J. A. Stebbins, J. V. P.; Mrs. William Severance, C.; Mrs. C. C. Stockbridge, G.; Miss M. T. Dutton, treas.; Mrs. Mary Doolittle, chaplain.

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Work of Miss Edna Batchelder. The December number of the Vermont Missionary contains a long article by J. A. Scheuerle, secretary of the Bennington County Improvement association, showing the scope and work of this practical Christian project. A col-umn is devoted to the social service department of the work, at the head of which is Miss Edna Batchelder, a West-minster girl of whom this town is justly proud. She is a trained nurse and social worker, has been engaged to visit poor homes in the country districts and villages and to lend a helping hand. Mr. Scheuerle tells of an instance where she went into a dilapidated house where a man and wife and three children lived, man and wife and three children lived, where the woman worked to provide food for the family and where rum had driven out the man's energy and ambition. She began shingling the house and cleaning up the place, and the husband was so overcome that he left off drinking and has been sober ever since, working for the support of his family. In another home there is a mother and father and six children, one having recently died with tuberculosis. In this home there was much filth there were recently died with tuberculosis. In this home there was much filth, there were tubercular germs over everything, so much so that one man said he would not go into this home to clean it up for a hundred thousand dollars. Miss Batchelder went into the home and got the family to clean up the home and disinfected everything. The mother and older girl are really beginning to take saids. girl are really beginning to take pride in the way things look. The children in this home had been going to a nearby school carrying the tubercular germs with them. This danger is now eliminated.

The usual preparations for Christmas re in progress

Dr. F. A. Pettee of Fairfax is a guest at W. S. Fenn's. Mrs. F. D. Hayward of Brattleboro spent Tuesday at Mrs. L. A. Pierce's.

Rev. F. D. Hayward of Brattleboro will occupy the pulpit next Sunday. It is expected that Congressman Plumley will deliver the address at the Men's club, Dec. 27.

John Wood of Woburn, Mass., Charles Wood of Somerville, Mass., and Ray Dean of West Townshend were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Howard over

Boyden Grange elected these officers Boyden Grange elected these efficers Dec. 6: M., W. S. Fenn; O., Leslie Ful-ler; L., Harry L. Piper; S., Fred Fenn; A. S., Howard Fenn; chaptain, Mrs. Nellie M. Reed; treas., D. P. Wright; sec. O. E. Peck; G. K., Herbert Farr; sec., O. E. Peck; G. K., Herbert Farr; Ceres, Hattle Reed; Pomona, Mrs. Susie Clark; Flora, Cora Peck; L. A. S., Mrs. Henry Fuller; ex. com., D. P. Wright; Henry Fuller, Stanley Fullam; organist, Mrs. Leslie Fuller; janitor, Henry Clark. The next meeting will be held this. Friday, evening

WESTMINSTER WEST.

House Ransacked, Boys Missing.

When Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Barnes, who ive in the north part of the town, re-turned home from spending the day in Bellows Falls Saturday they found that their house had been ransacked and that various things were missing or destroyed. Two boys, Harry Moore, 18, and Clarence Gould, 15, also were missing and a search revealed. and Clarence Gould, 15, also were missing and a search revealed the fact that a horse and two-seated carryall had disappeared. The telephone wire had been cut and the instrument damaged. The boys were seen driving through the village of Westminster West in the afternoon Saturday, toward Putney. It was found that the boys had left their hoise and carriage at the livery stable in Putney and bought tickets at the station for Greenfield. Search was made immediately, but thus far without results.

Harry Moore had been in the family only two or three weeks, coming there to obtain work. The Gould boy had been in Mr. Barnes's family more than two years, and during that time he attended

school in this village. His mother lives in Beliows Falls. She placed Clarence Mr. Barnes's home, thinking it would be better for the boy to be on a farm than to be about the village streets. He seemed happy in the family and thought a great deal of Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, who were very kind to him.

Among other things said to have disappeared was a revolver, a riffe, a gold watch, a silver watch and two suits of clothes belonging to a son of the family

Henry Minard is able to be out, after eing confined to the house some time. Mr. and Mrs. Atwood Phillips returned from their trip to Peru and Landgrove

Rev. Daniel McIntyre officiated at the uneral of Mr. Pierce of Putney Tuesday

There will be a Christmas tree and appropriate exercises by the Sunday school on Christmas eve. The children are busy with their preparations.

Mrs. Robert Miller and little son Lyle, and Louis Miller of Westminster have been spending a few days at Mrs. Martha Miller's, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Miller of Putney were guests there Sunday, Several from here attended the Grange several from here attended the Grange meeting in Putney Friday evening. It being neighbors' night in the Putney Grange, Maple Grove Grange was invited and gave a play as their part of the entertainment. A pleasant time is eported.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Goodhue have closed their house for the rest of the winter and have gone to Dayton, Ohio., to visit their son, a physician there, and Dr. George Goodhue, brother of Mr. Goodhue. On their return they plan to visit their daughter, Mrs. Henry Dunham, in Bainbridge, N. Y., and also go to Fairhaven, Mass., to visit another daughter, Mrs. Charles Stolte.

In the Congregational church Sunday morning the pastor will speak on "The birth of the child king foretoid." In the evening after the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting the 13th sermon on the Acts of the Apostles will be given, "Where Christ-lans first received their name," On Tuesday evening the Sunday school will give a brief program of songs and reci-tations, followed by the distribution of gifts from the Christmas tree, at 8 o'clock in the church. All are requested

Charles H. Gibson of Bellows Falls IIlustrious Potentate.

The 36th annual meeting of Mt. Sinai temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, was held in Montpeller Friday night with a large attendance. These officers with a large attendance. These officers were chosen: Illustrious potentate, Charles H. Gibson of Bellows Pails; chief rabban, E. B. Whitaker of Barre; asst. rabban, E. S. Megis of Montpeller; high priest and prophet, Collins Blakeley of Montpeller; oriental guide, George I. Whitney of Bellows Falls; treas, D. A. Elliot of White River Junction; rec., C. H. Heaton of Monpeller; reps. to im-A. Ellist of White River Junction; rec., C. H. Heaton of Monpeller; reps. to im-perial council, G. H. Almon of Mont-peller, W. A. Ricker of St. Johnsbury, L. M. Heath of Bethel, Robert F. Pin-ney of Middlebury. After the election 14 candidates were escorted across the hot sands.

Any one who has an unused 13-cent United States postage stamp printed on blue paper would do well to hold on to trather than to use it on a letter or package. A stamp dealer who has here-tofore sold these stamps to collectors for \$62.00 each, announces that the price will be \$75. Four thousand of these stamps were originally printed, but fewer than a hundred are known to exist at present.

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Brattleboro

Miss Mattle Grover is visiting in

Miss Phoebe Walker is spending a three weeks' vacation at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks, jr., of Springfield, Vt., were at John Sparks's ver Sunday.

F. O. Merrifield is entertaining his brother, Frank J. Merrifield of Manilla, Philippine Islands.

Union services will be held in the Congregational church Sunday morning. Rev. I. N. Compton preaching the Christmas sermon. In the evening there will be a union service in the Baptist church and Rev. G. H. Perry will speak. A pleasant surprise was given Mrs. I. N. Compton Saturday evening in the Baptist vestry, when about 40 of her friends gathered to remind her of her

birthday anniversary. She was presented a Bible. A program was carried out and refreshments were served A cantata, tree," will be given in the town hall next Monday evening. Mrs. Howland has charge and doubtless it will be as ruccessful as others given under her Birection. The Congregational Sunday school will have exercises and a Christmas tree Tuesday evening and the Bap-tist Sunday school Wednesday evening

CAMBRIDGEPORT.

Will Wilder has moved to the house vacated recently by James McQuaide. Mrs. A. A. Wyman and Miss Ethelind

M. Wyman visited relatives in Springfield recently. Ernest Patnode and family have gone

to Saxtons River, where Mr. Patnode has work in the woolen mill. Arrangements were made in Sunday school for a Christmas tree Wednesday evening in the church at 7.30 o'clock. Miss Jennie Harwood of Brookline is enjoying a three weeks' vacation. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. N. Moar of this place, and her niece, Mrs. E. D.

Weaver of Saxtons River. Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Blodgett went last week to visit Mr. Blodgett's aunts in Hillsboro Bridge, N. H. They will go from there this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stevens of Bethlehem, N. H. to Southern Pines, N. C., to stay through

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Men-F. J. Bell, J. C. Bell, G. P. tovey, R. M. Curley, Benie Femrick, Arthur Gay, Vinle Giovanni, Charles D. Gibson, H. L. Godette, D. S. Gould, George N. Hanson, C. F. Hills, W. H. George N. Hanson, C. F. Hills, W. H. Houghton, Fiboni Luigi, Charles R. Mc-Kellar, J. J. Nesbitt, Richard Peters, Oliver G. Phillips, John G. Rowe, Roy Shaket, E. L. Stowell, Taavi, H. E.

Women—Mrs. Florence Bliss, Mrs. Nina Balley, Miss Alice Harris, Mrs. Hattie Putnam, Miss L. Rich, Mrs. An-nie Sheldon, Mrs. S. S. Strouse, Mrs. Wiggin. James Yokom.

Kansas elected more than 200 women the women were chosen are the most responsible in the mong to county offices this year-50 more than n any previous year. The offices to ounties. There are women probate judges, district court clerks, registrars of deeds, county treasurers, county clerks and county superintendents.

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Mr. Baybrook, who has been seriously ill, is able to be out.

Hattle French went last week to Dor-set, where she has employment.

Henry Kendall and daughter, Elsie, of Manchester visited last week at James Kendall's. A Christmas tree will be an attraction at the church next Tuesday evening. Dec. 24. All are cordially invited.

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